

Summary of Purpose and Operating Procedures for the 90 Day Telephone Meeting Virtual Intergroup of Overeaters Anonymous

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1) Purpose

The purpose of the 90 Day Telephone Meeting Virtual Intergroup of Overeaters Anonymous is to carry the message of recovery to those with the problem of eating compulsively, by fostering the practice of the Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions of Overeaters Anonymous, guided by the Twelve Concepts of OA Service; and to serve and represent member groups.

2) Operating Procedures

A) Officers

- 1) The officers of the 90 Day Telephone Meeting Virtual Intergroup shall be the chair, vice-chair, secretary, and treasurer.
- 2) Officers shall be nominated at a scheduled phone meeting and elected at the next scheduled phone meeting, all by voice vote unless email ballot is requested.
- 3) Term of office for all officers will be one (1) year or until successors are elected.
- 4) Duties of officers shall be contained in the bylaws of the 90 Day Telephone Meeting Virtual Intergroup when adopted. The WSBC delegate/alternate (whether or not a member of the Intergroup board) shall have at least one (1) year of current abstinence and at least two (2) years of service beyond the group level.

B) Composition

The 90 Day Telephone Meeting Virtual Intergroup shall be composed of the registered Overeaters Anonymous meeting groups affiliated with this service body. Each affiliated group may select a representative to

speaking for it at meetings of the 90 Day Telephone Meeting Virtual Intergroup. Selection procedures and qualifications for representatives shall be contained in the bylaws of the 90 Day Telephone Meeting Virtual Intergroup when adopted.

C) The 90 Day Telephone Meeting Virtual Intergroup endorses the definition of an OA group in Overeaters Anonymous, Inc. Bylaws, Subpart B, Article V, Section 1, as written and as it may be amended by a future World Service Business Conference.

a) These points shall define an Overeaters Anonymous Group:

1) As a group, they meet to practice the Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions of Overeaters Anonymous, guided by the Twelve Concepts of OA Service.

2) All who have the desire to stop eating compulsively are welcome in the group.

3) No member is required to practice any actions in order to remain a member or to have a voice (share at a meeting).

4) As a group they have no affiliation other than Overeaters Anonymous.

5) It has affiliated as an Overeaters Anonymous group by registering with the World Service Office.

D) Frequency of meetings

The 90 Day Telephone Meeting Virtual Intergroup shall hold regular meetings as designated by a majority of members present. As a virtual intergroup it is expected that our meetings will be virtual (by phone or online or video conference).

E) Meeting Notification Procedure

The representatives of groups affiliated with the 90 Day Telephone Meeting Virtual Intergroup shall be notified of meetings by announcement at the prior meeting, email, and/or telephone.

3) Dissolution

Section 1 – Deregistration

A) Intergroups: In order to deregister, an intergroup may submit a written notice to the World Service Office (WSO), region chair, and region trustee.

Section 2- Disbursement of Remaining Funds

When this service body ceases operation and all debts have been paid, all remaining funds shall be distributed to other Overeaters Anonymous service bodies or the WSO in accordance with Tradition Six.

It is hereby understood that this Sample Summary of Purpose and Operating Procedures shall serve as the temporary organizing document of the 90 Day Telephone Meeting Virtual Intergroup until bylaws are adopted.

Signature of Officers Date of Signature Location(city,country)

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